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## What is claimed is

- 1. Method for testing video-technological devices, characterized by generating a test signal in which the hue and the colour saturation are periodically altered.
- 2. Method according to Claim 1, characterized by altering the colour saturation more slowly than the hue, so that a colour circle with an increasing diameter is generated.
- 3. Method according to Claim 1, characterized by forming colour value signals by sinusoidal oscillations which are phase-shifted by 120° with respect to one another, whose amplitudes rise and on which a DC component is superposed.
- 4. Method according to Claim 1, characterized by a forming a luminance signal by a sinusoidal oscillation whose amplitude rises and on which a DC component is superposed.
  - 5. Method according to Claim 3, characterized by linearly rising the amplitudes.
- 6. Method according to Claim 4, characterized by linearly rising the amplitudes.
- 7. Method according to Claim 3, characterized by 30 periodically repeating the amplitude rise at the line frequency.
- Method according to Claim 4, characterized by periodically repeating the amplitude rise at the line frequency.

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- 9. Method according to Claim 5, characterized by periodically repeating the amplitude rise at the line frequency.
- 5 10. Method according to Claim 6, characterized by periodically repeating the amplitude rise at the line frequency.
- 11. Arrangement for generating a test signal for

  testing video-technological devices, characterized in
  that colour value signals are stored in a memory, which
  signals are formed by sinusoidal oscillations which are
  phase-shifted by 120° with respect to one another,
  whose amplitudes rise and on which a DC component is
- superposed, and in that, for the read-out of the stored colour value signals a pixel counter is connected to address inputs of the memory.
- 12. Arrangement according to Claim 11, characterized in that a luminance signal is stored in a memory, which signal is formed by a sinusoidal oscillation whose amplitude rises and on which a DC component is superposed, and in that, for the read-out of the stored luminance signal, a pixel counter is connected to address inputs of the memory.
  - 13. Arrangement according to Claim 11, characterized in that the amplitudes rise linearly.
- 30 14. Arrangement according to Claim 12, characterized in that the amplitudes rise linearly.
- 15. Arrangement according to Claim 11, characterized in that the amplitude rise is repeated periodically at the line frequency.

- 16. Arrangement according to Claim 12, characterized in that the amplitude rise is repeated periodically at the line frequency.
- 5 17. Arrangement according to Claim 13, characterized in that the amplitude rise is repeated periodically at the line frequency.
- 18. Arrangement according to Claims 14, characterized in that the amplitude rise is repeated periodically at the line frequency.